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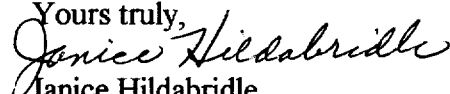
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Re: Docket #98P-0203/CP

I'm writing to urge the Food and Drug Administration to make a decision to ban forced molting of laying hens. Not only is this farm practice a food safety problem it is an unconscionable cruelty to animals.

Please grant United Poultry Concern's petition to ban the practice of forced molting.

Yours truly,

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